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Photoplay in two reels

Episode #7 The Trail of the Serpent\*

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## "WITH STANLEY IN AFRICA"

#7 "The Trail of the Serpent"

Jack chokes the lioness and escapes with Nadias. They proceed through the jungle and are finally lost. Seeing an encampment, they proceed to it and find a settlement of Arab slavers who have joined forces with Lake's party.

Livingstone is/seen far off in the interior of the Dark Continent, pleading with an Arab slaver to be merciful with his captures slaves. The trader explains the slaves were given him by a native chief in payment for goods stolen from his caravan which the natives had looted. Later one of the slaves tells Livingstone how his tribe had been attacked and made captive by the Arab. Heartbroken at the suffering around him, Livingstone disappointedly decides to give up his mission and return to Ujiji.

Meanwhile Jack, threatened by Lake unless he reveals the secret of the missing White Tribe, overpowers his guards and after battling with the entire outfit, escapes with Nadia. They are hurrying away from Lake and the pursuing Arabs when they fall into an animal pit in which are two ferocious, trapped leopards.

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